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5 JUN 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Community Counterintelligence Staff

FROM: [redacted] 25X1
Chief, Policy Branch/PPS/OS

SUBJECT: Comments Regarding Draft Sections III, IV and V of Presidential Report

The Counterintelligence Staff has provided you with the bulk of the CIA comments regarding these sections. To confirm our telecon of 4 June, I have the following additional comment
25X1 which has been coordinated with [redacted], Executive Officer/OS:

Sec V, page 6, paragraph number 6: This paragraph places the major share of the blame for personnel security shortcomings on a lack of a comprehensive national policy. We do not agree. Inadequate resourcing has resulted in bare-bones programs which had little room for security education, reinvestigations, continuing reliability programs, a sufficient number of polygraph examinations, and research and development. While we agree that there is room for improvement in national security policy, we do not see existing policies as being so deficient as to outweigh funding problems and the resultant atrophying of these important personnel security programs. [redacted] 25X1

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